

## Message Text

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R 282058Z JUL 78  
FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY BONN

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FOLLOWING REPEAT NEW DELHI 10715 ACTION SECSTATE INFO  
GENEVA USUN NY JUL 13.

QUOTE: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE NEW DELHI 10715

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: PROG, WIPO, IN  
SUBJECT: ELECTION OF WIPO DIRECTOR GENERAL

REF: (A) STATE 174812; (B) STATE 141869

1. AIDE MEMOIRE (REF B) WAS PRESENTED TO MEA DIRECTOR FOR  
UN (ECONOMIC) AFFAIRS A. GHOSE ON JUNE 10. GHOSE WAS UN-  
FAMILIAR WITH THE SUBJECT AT THAT TIME AND HAD NO COMMENT TO  
MAKE.

2. EMBOFF INQUIRED INTO INDIAN POSITION AT MEETING WITH  
GHOSE ON JULY 12. GHOSE REPLIED THAT THREE OTHER GOVERNMENT  
MINISTRIES WERE ACTIVELY INVOLVED IN WIPO AFFAIRS AND THEIR  
VIEWS WERE BEING SOUGHT. A FORMAL REPLY SHOULD BE FORTHCOMING  
IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

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3. GHOSE SAID HER INFORMAL SOUNDINGS WITH RESPONSIBLE OFFI-  
CERS IN THE OTHER MINISTRIES HAD AS YET REVEALED NO REASON  
FOR GOI TO REFUSE TO SUPPORT US CANDIDATE. ONE FACTOR WHICH  
GOVERNMENT WOULD HAVE TO TAKE INTO CONSIDERATION WAS POSSIBLE  
OTHER CANDIDATES. GOI WAS UNAWARE OF ANY OTHER FORMAL PRO-  
POSALS TO DATE. AN INDIAN DELEGATION TO A WIPO MEETING HAD  
BEEN TOLD INFORMALLY THAT AN AFRICAN MEMBER OF THE WIPO SEC-

RETARIAT MIGHT BE PROPOSED, BUT SHE HAD NO FURTHER WORD ON  
THIS.  
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## Message Attributes

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